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## 7,000 MEN NEEDED FOR HARVEST

Careful compiled reports from correspondents all over the province have been received by the Department of Agriculture concerning the number of men required for the harvesting of this year's wheat crop in Alberta. From reports received already it is estimated that about 5,000 men will be needed in the districts which have reported, and altogether the demand will run to about 7,000. Less men will be required from outside the provinces this year, because of the slackness in trades in the cities, and a considerable portion of the men required for harvesting operations will be drawn from the cities.

Harvesting will begin in the eastern and southern portions of the province about August 15th and in the northern districts about the 20th, according to the crop reports from a large number of points.

The weather has been ideal for the crops of late. So far no serious damage to the crops in any district is reported. Harvest is reported from some districts, but it does not appear to have caused much loss. Wheat is now well headed out and many districts report the grain filling nicely and a heavy yield is anticipated.

## TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS IN PRIZES

The Mirror Boat Club wish to announce that the prizes to be given away at the Regatta Day Aug. 13th will be displayed in the windows of the Mirror Club. The most valuable prizes donated by the Transcontinental Townsite Co., per S. T. St. John, local business firms and individuals as well as cash prizes, all aggregating a total value of something over two hundred dollars. A number of the prizes have been ordered, and some have not yet been received, but all the prizes will be on ex-

## G.T.P. WILL CONSTRUCT A WATER PIPE LINE COSTING \$15,000

Will Run From Tank Through Strs to Buffalo Lake---Council Succeeds In Making Satisfactory Agreement Whereby Mirror Is guaranteed a Never-Failing Water Supply For Fire Protection

In response to an invitation from the Council of the Village of Mirror, the Grand Trunk Pacific company sent one of their engineers, Sherman Smith to consult with the Councilmen regarding the placing of a pipe line between the G. T. P. water tank and Buffalo Lake. The meeting was held in H. J. Raymer's office last Friday evening, plans were approved and signed and the work is now in progress.

An application for permission to run the pipes through the streets of Mirror had been received in the three weeks previous to this from the solicitor, H. H. Hansard, on behalf of the company, when plans were submitted for the Council's consideration.

The Council having in view a water supply for Mirror it is thought that a quicker and more satisfactory arrangement could be made by a discussion of the matter with one of their representatives than by conducting negotiations by correspondence. The wisdom of this decision was amply borne out by subse-

quent events, as the Council agreed that no what we consider, an exceptionally fine agreement, with G. T. P. company.

Mr. Smith brought with him plans for the system and explained detail what they were proposing at the lake. The plan consists of a pipe line running from the tank at the track near the corner of Lois and Arthur Streets, thence east along Northcliffe board to Maryott street, then due east to Buffalo

La., a pumping station in the open to a well 16 feet in diameter will be constructed at this front.

It is proposed that the pipe line will be purchased from the engine at the pump house will be sufficient to force water over any part of the present area of the town, and it is quite possible that additional units will be made to have the pressure increased whenever it is required. The work on this project will be started just as soon as the company can possibly do so, and the estimated cost will be somewhere near \$15,000.

It would look to a man up a tree despite the knocking of firemen, when a company like the G. T. P. will go to the expense of so much money as the

cost of this pipe line will involve. We must come to the conclusion that Mirror will be a place of importance in a new town in the West boasting of a permanent and inexhaustible water supply.

The installation of the pipe line and hydrants will be almost any misgivings our townsmen may have had regarding Mirror's fire protection, and although many have thought the Council acted in their treachery in this transaction they have acted wisely and well, and the protection now guaranteed is better than any other.

In the meantime it behoves our merchants and others to exercise the greatest of care by keeping their premises clear of all inflammable material and doing their duty to minimize the danger from fire.

In addition to the above, Mr. Smith agreed that in case the Council find it necessary in the future to put in storage wells the company would supply water at any time free. The installation of a pipe line and hydrants will be almost any misgivings our townsmen may have had regarding Mirror's fire protection, and although many have thought the Council acted in their treachery in this transaction they have acted wisely and well, and the protection now guaranteed is better than any other.

It is proposed that the pipe line will be provided by the G. T. P. company, and the company will be responsible for the maintenance of the pipe line, and the credit will be given to the G. T. P. company for the cost of the pipe line and hydrants.

The trophy for the highest individual shot open only to members of the Mirror Gun Club will be presented from T. St. John. The trophy will be known as the Transcontinental Cup and a hot competition will be put up by the members for the coveted prize.

The trophy will be service in the Methodist Church next Sunday evening, Aug. 13th at 8 o'clock, Rev. Irwin in charge.

## VILLAGE RATE 20 MILLS ON THE \$

The regular monthly meeting of the Village Council met last Monday evening, Aug. 4th. All members present.

The following accounts were presented:

Dr. Meyer, attendance on Mrs. Everitt ..... \$42.00

Duitman & Johnson, tags for live stock ..... 1.20

Calvert-Flewelling—That a t accounts as paid.

The Council then resolved itself into a Court of Revision. It was decided by Calvert, seconded by Flewelling, that the assessment stand as revised.

The question of a reduction in the assessment had been discussed at a special meeting held some time ago and accordingly the amount of the assessment of many of the lots has been greatly reduced. Only seventeen protests against the assessment were received, the reason of the protest being too high an assessment, but with the reduction it was unnecessary to make any alterations on the protested lots. From 1800 to 1800 assessments notices were sent out this year.

Calvert-Flewelling—That the Village rate of taxation be 20 mills on the dollar. Carried. Council adjourned.

An express car has been added to the G. T. P. passenger train to run between Edmonton and Beiseker. This additional car will do away with the transfer of passengers from express at Mirror station from the south train to the train running north.

H. Marler of Alix, has donated a fine solid silver medal for the men's swimming race at the Mirror Cup, Sunday, August 13th. The medal is about the size of a half dollar and shows the figure of a swimmer in the water, a breast stroke dive. The prize will become the property of the winner and a keen race will be put up for the possession of the medal.

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Publishers.

MIRROR, ALTA., AUG. 8, 1913

### FLOUR MILLS FOR THE FARMER

Convenient Market for His Crop and  
a Source of Supply for the  
"Mixed Farmer."

The rapid expansion of the milling  
industry in the West during the past  
two years has a direct bearing on the  
reciprocity question. One of the  
strongest arguments for reciprocity  
was the fact that there were few mills  
in the West, and that what could be  
done for a farmer was a considerable  
market for his crop. In other words  
there was no market for the wheat  
and flour produced in the West, and  
little to support their arguments  
in the West two years ago. To-day  
conditions are changed as is shown  
in the following article from the  
financial page of a recent issue of the  
"Mixed Farmer." What has led in the  
fight for reciprocity?

"It looks as if a city in the Canadian  
west is destined to become the great  
est flour milling centre in the world.  
That city is Medicine Hat. Alt.  
Alberta. Milling enterprises are moving  
westward. Not only are the Ogilvie  
and Maple Leaf Milling Companies  
building in Medicine Hat, but new  
concerns are being established on  
the scale in Moose Jaw and Estevan.  
These facts are significant. They in-  
dicate foresight, preparation for ac-  
tivities in the far west that are to  
come, and those who are using fore-  
sight will open their eyes on the Pan-  
ama Canal and the Orient and the western  
gate to the Pacific which has led in the  
fight for reciprocity."

"It is economy that prompts the  
erection of these mills. It is figured  
that ten cents per bushel will be saved  
in the production of four bushels  
of white flour.

"The Ogilvie mill will produce 2,000 barrels  
per day, with provision to treble this  
amount. In due time, the  
company's larger mills will be  
erected to meet the increased  
demands of the market.

"Another mill to be erected in Medi-  
cine Hat by the Maple Leaf Milling  
Company, will begin with a daily out-  
put of 3,000 barrels to be increased  
to 6,000 barrels, and this mill  
will be erected by the Manitoba Milling  
Company, arrangements having al-  
ready been made. Add the press  
Medicine Hat Milling Company and  
that city will in the near future be  
producing 15,000 to 20,000 barrels per  
day at least."

"There is probably but one milling  
centre in the world with greater daily  
capacity, and that is Minneapolis,  
where we find 75,000 barrels  
are ground daily."

What is true of Medicine Hat is  
also true of Saskatoon, Regina, Lett-  
bridge, Calgary, Brandon, Portage la  
Prarie, Edmonton, Winnipeg, Moose  
Jaw and other cities in the West.  
The development of the milling in-  
dustry is also important in connection  
with efforts to encourage the farmer  
to go into mixed farming. Large  
four room houses, ample supplies of  
fuel which is largely coal, feed for  
the stock raising industry. This will  
be readily available at low cost at  
convenient centres all through the  
West. It looks as though the re-  
ciprocation bill will be easily answered  
by the expansion of the milling in-  
dustry and the building up of diversified  
industries in the West, associated with  
the development of mixed farming.

### SHEEP RAISING NEEDS REVIVING

Breeders Urge That the Government  
Take Definite Action to En-  
courage the Industry

That the government should take  
definite and emphatic action to en-  
courage a greater production of sheep  
in Canada was set forth strongly  
at the annual meeting of the Sheep  
Breeders' Association, held at Guelph  
recently. The necessity of this both  
from the wool and meat standpoint,  
was dwelt upon by various prominent  
speakers. In connection with the  
latter phase of the question it is noted  
that in view of the tariff on wool,  
as well as that on woolen goods  
should be adjusted in order that a more  
stable condition of the industry gener-  
ally might be obtained. Apparently  
there are few who think the preference  
on woolen goods should be discontinued.  
They believe this would still fur-  
ther limit the production of woolens.  
The home market in Canada is very  
small, B. S. A., Ottawa, said in part:

"At present in Canada there are  
about 2,360,000 sheep. In the year 1871  
there were 5,300,000 sheep in Canada.  
Mean sheep. It means that there are  
700,000 fewer sheep in Canada to-day  
than there were forty years ago.  
Not only is this the case with the  
sheep in Canada, but in every other  
western Province there are fewer sheep  
than there used to be long ago. There  
are to-day fewer sheep in the whole  
Dominion of Canada than there were  
in the Provinces of Ontario and Quebec  
forty years ago. In 1871, according to the  
figures of the Census, there were 159,000  
sheep in Ontario and 291,000 head, and  
since about that year the sheep have  
been falling off in numbers. Two years  
ago we exported sheep to quite an  
extent. We now have an importing  
trade, and last year we imported 35,000  
head, in 1911 we brought in 62,000 head,  
and in seven months of the year  
'12 we have imported no less than  
145,000 head of sheep. The number  
remain in the east, even at that. Most  
of them go to the western Provinces.  
In the year 1911 about 160,000 sheep  
were killed at the western markets.  
In ten months of the present year  
only about 160,000 have been through  
that market. Nor is this decline in  
sheep trade peculiar to Toronto. For  
example, in the same period the sheep  
market at the Montreal market has  
remained 117,000 and 102,000 respectively.  
In ten months of the present year the  
Winnipeg market dealt with 39,000  
head of sheep and of these not more  
than one thousand came from the Canadian  
sheep. All the others were from the  
United States. With the prevailing  
shortage of beef and mutton, the public  
has made quite a call for lamb.  
The prices and the demand for  
the meat have been constant, stiffened  
not only has the demand increased,  
but the supply had fallen behind."

"The sheep business is certainly not  
getting the attention it deserves," said  
John Campbell, of Moose Jaw. "At  
present butchers' lambs are  
selling at 12½ highest price on record  
for the time of year, and the chances  
are that they will be extreme before  
spring comes."

"Would you recommend the average  
farmer to raise more sheep?" Mr.  
Campbell was asked.

"Decidedly. The country is suffering  
a very great loss in that there is  
no market for the sheep on every single  
farm. I am not a sheep expert, but  
I would put my faith so firmly as to  
the production of well-finished lambs  
in the market, using the best possible  
judgment in the selection of dams and  
sires."

MANUFACTURERS GIVE  
PRIZES FOR AGRICULTURE

Three Students in Guelph Receive \$100  
for Writing on Agricultural  
Subjects

At the recent meeting of the Can-  
adian Manufacturers' Association a  
policy was adopted which has as  
its object the all round development  
of Canada. Cash prizes will be awarded  
to students in the following fields: plain  
essays or other competitions  
on some phase of the agricultural  
industry. Last month Mr. G.  
M. Murray, general secretary, made  
the presentation of a cheque for \$100 for  
three students, two of whom wrote the  
best essays on sheep raising for wool  
and mutton, a third on the relation  
of the farmer to the manufacturer.

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nesday and Friday at 9 a.m.

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This contest is for the purpose of introducing ourselves to those who are not our regular customers and to show our appreciation of those we have had the pleasure of serving.

The only articles that keys will not be given away with are Nails, Wire and Steel Granaries. We will advertise the day that all keys are to be tried in the lock.

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## STOP THE FIRE WASTE

Important Campaign Launched Look ing to the Prevention of Fires

The Canadian Manufacturers' Association inaugurated a Fire Prevention Campaign last month at a meeting in Toronto. The speaker was Mr. Franklin H. Wentworth of Boston, the secretary of the National Fire Protection Association. This is a subject which interests every citizen of Canada. We can all contribute our quota to the efforts being made to reduce the fire loss. Manufacturers are fully alive to the importance of fire prevention and are leaving stones unturned to reduce the annual waste. The campaign will make better buildings and cheaper factory products and will minimize the danger of injury and loss of life among all classes.

In the Province of Alberta the average \$3 cents per capita in the United States and Canada it averages \$30 per capita, or \$30 per hour, or \$60 per minute.

What is this loss? The Insurance Companies? No! They are only insurance at Collectors.

You wonder why you find it difficult to compete in your protected markets of Europe with American producers. Our reason is that your American competitor is more than that of your European competitor. How can this handicap be overcome? Certainly not by the effort of one thoughtful person in a community of thoughtless people, but by an organized effort of all. It is well being home to the mind of every individual that he is being taxed not only his own but his neighbor's carelessness.

## SAVINGS DEPOSITS

Average to Each Depositor Highest in Protected Countries

One of the surest tests of prosperity of a country is the bank deposits of its people. Agriculture is the basic industry, and if agricultural conditions are not sound, it will be reflected in the savings of the people.

The following table shows the amount on deposit in the savings banks of Great Britain and foreign countries:

	Per Capita
United Kingdom.....	\$1,048.268.360
Austria.....	1,000.000.000
Bulgaria.....	155,739.160
France.....	1,365,735.160
Italy.....	1,904.616.83.000
Netherlands.....	450.000.000
Russia.....	965,604.235
Sweden.....	196,312.455
Norway.....	113,068.300
Denmark.....	231,787.465
U.S.A. ....	3,100,000,000

It will be seen that the savings deposits in the United States are more than double those in any other country. Those countries in which the average savings to each depositor exceed \$100 have enjoyed tangible results to some extent. In the United States, where tariff walls are built high, the average to each depositor in the savings banks was \$44. The average in the Netherlands, where the tariff wall is not so high and has not always been so low, while the tariff is not the only consideration in relation to savings, the above figures show that where protection has been stable the average savings has been highest.

## BUTTER AND EGGS

Alberta Should and Could be Exporters instead of Importers

Edmonton claims the distinction of having within its confines the largest creamery in the Dominion of Canada. Edmonton, according to Mr. W. W. Prevey is president, reports an output of 1,340,000 pounds of butter for the twelve months ended Dec. 31.

"Five years ago," Mr. Prevey said, "we shipped butter to points in Ontario and Quebec, receiving from 14 to 16 cents per pound extra, but Edmonton has grown so rapidly that we are now obliged to import butter from the U. S. and Canada at 24 cents of \$30,000 pounds each in the last year, the bulk of this coming from the U. S. The same firm which has imported 15 cars in 12 months. Our farmers are not producing sufficient butter to supply the demand of the market. We could and should be exporters of these products instead of importers. The time has come to be the latter until our farmers break away from the single crop idea. We cannot have a single product, we must have a diversified product. I believe I am well within the figures when I say there is room for 5,000,000 pounds in this district, without affecting the present market quotations a penny. We need more cows and men practical dairy farmers and men who understand the business, not city chaps who have several thousand dollars invested in their school education. There is room for thousands of them in this district who are not qualified to farm land. Land for dairy purposes is comparatively cheap and every variety of grass and grain can be raised and eaten, thrives with little care. There is abundant water and cattle can be grown and fed on the hay of the year. Why, more than 1,000,000 cattle could have been fed on the hay that was

## ALBERTA FAIRS

The following is the list of local fairs which will be held in the various provinces this fall and winter. The list is arranged by the Alberta Fairs Association, and as far as possible the dates are arranged so that the fairs will not overlap. Those wishing to get to both shows. Official judges are supplied by the provincial government of agriculture.

Sept. No. 2.  
Carryington—Aug. 12 and 13.  
Nanton—Aug. 14 and 15.

Sept. No. 3.  
Cardston—Aug. 19 and 20.  
Holden—Sept. 20.

Sept. No. 4.  
Lethbridge—Aug. 22 and 23.  
Raymond—Aug. 26 and 28.  
Flincher Creek—Aug. 28 and 29.

Sept. No. 5.  
Lacombe—Aug. 5 and 6.

Sept. No. 6.  
Lethbridge—Sept. 18 and 19.  
Manville—Sept. 22 and 23.

Sept. No. 7.  
Vermillion—Sept. 24 and 25.

Sept. No. 8.  
Stettler—Sept. 5 and 6.

Sept. No. 9.  
Cochrane—Sept. 9 and 10.

Sept. No. 10.  
St. Albert—Sept. 26.

Sept. No. 11.  
Kingsley—Sept. 30.

Sept. No. 12.  
Lloydminster—Oct. 2.

Sept. No. 13.  
Paddle River—Oct. 3.

Sept. No. 14.  
Innisfail—Sept. 11 and 12.

Sept. No. 15.  
Castor—Sept. 16 and 17.

Sept. No. 16.  
Coronation—Sept. 18 and 19.

Sept. No. 17.  
Camrose—Sept. 23 and 24.

Sept. No. 18.  
Ponoka—Sept. 25 and 26.

Sept. No. 19.  
Alix—Sept. 30.

Sept. No. 20.  
Lacombe—Oct. 1 to 3.

Sedgewick—Aug. 7.

Chauvin—Aug. 8.

Edmonton—Aug. 11 to 16.

Vegreville—Aug. 26 and 27.

Munson—Aug. 29.

Red Deer—Aug. 30 to 31.

Wetaskiwin—Aug. 26 and 27.

Truro—Sept. 1 and 2.

St. Paul—Sept. 3.

Hardisty—Sept. 4.

Stettler—Sept. 5 and 6.

Cochrane—Sept. 9 and 10.

St. Albert—Sept. 26.

Calmar—Sept. 29 and 30.

Swallowell—Oct. 1 and 2.

Bowden—Oct. 3.

Didsbury—Oct. 7 and 8.

Priddis & Millarville—Oct. 9.

Circuit No. 6.

Medicine Hat—Sept. 9 to 12.

Winnifred—Sept. 16 and 17.

Taber—Sept. 18 and 19.

Milerton—Sept. 23.

Three Hills—Sept. 24.

Langdon—Sept. 25 and 26.

Carson—Sept. 29 and 30.

Viking—Sept. 24.

Calmar—Sept. 25 and 26.

Entwistle—Sept. 18.

North Alberta—Sept. 19.

Leduc—Oct. 7.

Provost—Oct. 8 and 9.

Circuit No. 7.

Medicine Hat—Sept. 9 to 12.

Winnifred—Sept. 16 and 17.

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Calmar—Sept. 25 and 26.

Entwistle—Sept. 18.

North Alberta—Sept. 19.

Circuit No. 8.

Mid-Pembina—Sept. 5.

Falls-Rexboro—Sept. 9.

Onoway—Sept. 10.

Nakumun—Sept. 11.

Wainwright—Sept. 12.

Edson—Sept. 16 and 17.

Entwistle—Sept. 18.

North Alberta—Sept. 19.

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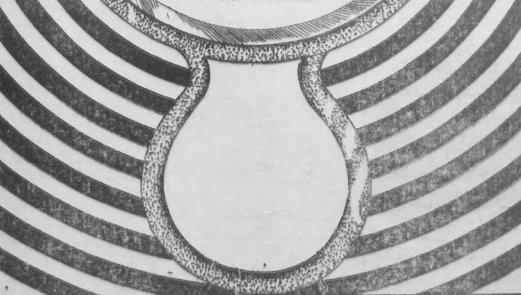
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## Acute Prostration

Major Novikoff, in arguing that the hard-earned honor of entering Constantinople, repeated an interesting report of the failure of the Russian army to enter the Turkish capital in 1877. He said that the Russian army was held back by orders from St. Petersburg.

In Paris, she writes, when General Grant, the American expert, was asked what he thought of that part of our government which he said was: Can you explain why the Russian army did not conquer Constantinople? When he said so entirely, in its hands? I replied that to our sorrow, our government had ordered that they not advance further.

Well replied Grant, I can tell you, in the first place, one of your enemies, I would have put the telegram in my pocket, and have sent it to the Russian Government.

Recreation Has Sold for \$120

A sheet of newspaper covered with neatly-written verse, was sold for \$120 at Scarborough, Ontario, recently.

Lord Baden-Powell and the poem was the famous "Recessional".

An interesting reference to the poem was in a letter in which Mr. Kipling says:

Glory to him who, like the Recessional, brings gifts of peace for sharing or prayer.

They arrive by themselves somewhat. Evidently the idea has been taken from the psalmist who did not take to the psalmist the expression of his kind.

The poem was paid for a letter written by Lord Nelson to Lady Hamilton from the George Inn Fortnum and Mason's, London, in 1802, before the admiral went aboard the Victoria.

Six letters written by Lord Nelson are now in the British Museum.

A collection of autograph letters by Charles Lamb, also in the British Museum, and from correspondence of John Rickman, the originator of the comic, and from the same years as the poem, were sold at the house of commons, was for \$475.

Worms cause freetness and rob the infant of sleep, the great nor-

thern termitian will clear the stomach and intestines and restore healthfulness.

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Bakeshop opens next Wednesday the 13th

Fresh BREAD, CAKES, BUNS and PIES always on hand.

**14 Bread Tickets \$1.00**

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FRUIT IN SEASONS CONFECTIONERY, ICE CREAM  
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EGGS WANTED FOR CASH

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## LOCAL NEWS

Miss H. Walking, of Albuquerque, New Mexico, is spending a few days with Mrs. W. Nichols.

Duck shooting season opens on Saturday, Aug. 23rd.

Hugh Stevenson is spending a few days at Stettler, Alta.

The past week or so has certainly been a Jonah period for H. P. Crittall, of sail-boat fame. After the mishap to "Satan" he and his partner were forced by a calm, followed by the proverbial storm to land at Mirror Beach late at night and perform a speed boat endurance test hours into the night of heavy rain. The next day they took up the thumb of his right hand with a buckle, and as a climax to the series of mishaps his horse ran away and threw him out of the carriage. He was delivering some groceries to a customer and when near the railway track the galloping animal turned around at a bound and right-about-faced in a double quick order, the sudden change in direction spilling the occupants out onto the ground. No one was hurt.

Mrs. H. W. Panuecker, of Aix, is visiting with Mrs. A. G. Holland.

The auction sale of Simpson & Natt on Monday last was conducted successfully. Natt has moved to Hardisty, Alta., where he has a brother-in-law residing. E. C. Simpson has not far to go, however, as he will find there is a possibility of his again starting in the dairy business in Mirror.

M. Mecklenburg, A. M., the only university graduate Sight Specialist in Alberta, 315 Jasper E., Phone 5225, Edmonton.

Mrs. T. R. McCorkell and son, Harold, are visiting in Red Deer, Alta.

A bake shop, 14 ft. by 18 ft., is being erected adjoining the new Wm. Dennis residence, today. Also, there will be the first day on which the bakery part of the business will be opened.

The Royal Neighbors hold their semi-monthly meeting on Wednesday afternoon last.

Mrs. Hart is confined to the house with a serious attack of pleurisy.

Jno. Stevenson, of Stettler, Alta., was around shaking hands with old friends on Wednesday.

The farm on which D. M. Jewell resides is producing some very fine grain this year, and the different kinds are all in extremely good condition. Outs of the "Big Four" variety measure 4 feet and a half in height and are beginning to turn; 6-rowed Marquis barley four feet four inches high; and a sample of flax brought in

measures three feet, nine inches. The grain is all well matured for the time of year. Most of the crop is sown on ground that has been cropped for the past fifteen years, and no better demonstration could be given of the fertility of Alberta soil than that in the section surrounding Mirror.

During the year ending March 31st, 1912, persons of British nationality left the United Kingdom for places out of Europe. The destinations included: Canada, 185,359; Australia and New Zealand, 92,626; United States, 94,176.

Mirror was visited by a number of transient visitors this week.

## HANDICAP SHOOT FOR TRANCONTINENTAL CUP--RULES

The contest for the "Transcontinental Cup" will be held on the evenings of Aug. 14, 21 and Sept. 4, at 6 o'clock sharp. The following are the conditions:

Each contestant must engage in not less than four competitions.

The contest will be open during not less than four or more than eight regular club shooting days during 1912 and include 200 targets, not less than 25 or more than 50 targets to be shot at a time.

Ties may be decided as the club may rule.

### ADDED TARGET HANDICAP

The first handicap to be made on the basis of club record of each shooter's scores as below:

In the first competition shootout broken out on 25:

23 or over.....	0	added targets
22.....	1	"
21.....	2	"
20.....	3	"
19.....	4	"
18.....	5	"
17.....	6	"
16.....	7	"
15.....	8	"
14.....	9	"
13.....	10	"
12.....	11	"
11.....	12	"

No handicap can make more than the possible score. Each succeeding handicap to be made on the basis of birds broken, not including handicap of the previous week.

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The regular weekly shoot of the Mirror Gun Club was held last night (Thursday), and the following is the score to date:

Former scores Thurs. score

No. of birds Total Percentage

J. Cairns.....	63	23	75	66	.880
E. Estell.....	103	30	50	32	.835
E. Allie.....	106	16	125	92	.730
H. Series.....	18	18	35	18	.725
C. McCormack.....	10	10	19	18	.700
R. Hopkins.....	50	17	109	67	.670
H. Marshall.....	35	20	50	40	.600
Owen Cook.....	16	6	32	24	.440
J. Duran.....	20	10	50	20	.400
T. McCorkell.....	20	5	50	20	.367
Mrs. Mary Beno.....	8	7	25	23	.367
Chas. Durant.....	7	5	75	12	.169

Did not shoot.

## GUN CLUB NEWS

## MIRROR WALLOPS ERSKINE 16 TO 5

The Mirror baseball team updated their reputation last Friday afternoon when they trounced 10 to 5 in a hard-fought ball game at Erskine. Mirror won a score of 3 to 2, and a good game was again experienced. Things were rather marky for the home nine when in the first innings Erskine shoved five men home, sweet home, and a fresh G. T. P. man was so confused that he called the Erskines to win with a bundle of simoleons, which were readily snapped up by a Mirror supporter. The runner-up is expected to win the price of a meal tickets. After the disastrous first, Mirror tightened up and played first-class ball, worked out two double plays that pulled them out of a pair of precarious positions. The initial innings was the only one in which Erskine figured in the game, and when the last eight stanzas they were unable to score, the same number of doughnut-shaped figures. Mirror tied the score in the fifth, and in the ninth, Anderson and Anderson's slants to the four corners of the lot. Every player went to bat in the last and the 9-5 score was increased to 16 to 5.

The line-up:

Mirror p. Erskine p.

Rex Simpson 1st. Wagner Anderson

Slinger 2nd. Schlesinger

Suggett 3rd. Smart

Johnson 4th. Johnson

Cairns s.s. Sheppard

Merkley r.f. Knechtel

McCormack l.f. Blochman

Thomas 1f. Mohen

W. J. Good, Umpire

Mirror. — 1 0 2 0 2 1 5 — 16

Erskine. — 5 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 — 5

## WASHING

Mirror has a Laundry. Leave bundles at Coleman's Pool Room or drop a card to 304-pd. MIRROR LAUNDREY.

## EDMONTON EXHIBITION

### ONE WAY FIRST CLASS FARE FOR ROUND TRIP

Will apply from all Stations on the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway

Good going AUGUST 8th to 12th,  
Returning until Wednesday,  
AUGUST 20th, 1913

Obtain tickets from nearest Grand Trunk Pacific Agent. Passengers from stations where there are no Agents can purchase reduced fare tickets from Train Agent.

**W. J. QUINLAN,**  
District Passenger Agent,  
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## 160 ACRES FOR SALE

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